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Gentlemen,

IF you imagine that the following Facts will be of any ſervice to the unthinking part of mankind, you art welcome to make uſe of them in any manner you think proper.

From Yours,

A. B.

You muſt know, Gentlemen, that I am no ways concerned in any branch of Phyſick myſelf, but am naturally curious in enquiring into *the good or bad effects* of celebrated *Noſtrums*. That which lately incited my curioſity was a Latin Motto which I ſaw on the outſide of an old new-whited Houſe, called an *Hotpital*. Upon asking a friend that was with me the meaning of the inſcription, he told me, that it was put up by one, who had aſſumed the titles of FATHER OF THE POOR and RESTORER OF HEALTH.

Soon after this, I examined ſeveral of this Great Man's Patients, who had taken his Medicines; ſorry I am, to ſay, that the anſwer I have generally received was, *That the Remedy was worſe than the Diſeaſe*; for his *Remedies* occaſion ſuch violent purgings (to uſe the expreſſion of one of them) *that one ſhould rather have a waſhing tub than a cloſe-ſtool.*

Theſe anſwers ill ſatisfy'd me, that the Doctor deſerved the title of RESTORER OF HEALTH; and how well he deſerves his other title of FATHER OF THE POOR, will in ſome meaſure appear from the following relation, which I lately learnt, and am well aſſured is true, becauſe I heard it ſeveral times from the perſon's own mouth; and ſundry perſons of worth were preſent.

Know then, Gentlemen, that ſome time ago an ancient Gentlewoman applied to this pious man for help in a *violent head-ach*, which ſhe had contracted about 40 years ago, by catching cold upon taking phyſick. —— I ſhou'd have informed you, that this good woman had had advice of Doctor MONROE, who honeſtly told her, that he looked upon her ailment to be of ſuch a nature, that he doubted much if Medicine would effectuate a cure; but he would give her ſomething to eaſe her pain, and bring it to be intermitting; which was accordingly effected. The Gentlewoman for ſome years was contented with this relief, 'till unhappily meeting ſome of this great *Reſtorer's* Trumpeters (who ſearch out *widows houſes*) they over perſwaded her to take his *Pill, Drop* and *Powder*, under *an aſſurance of a perfect cure*. She, being too deſirous of relief, without farther enquiry, eagerly ſwallowed the deceitful bait. ——— The conſequences were, moſt of her ſenſes failed her; — inſtead of walking 3 or 4 miles a day, ſhe was carried in a coach, and afterwards led to bed; — her memory, which was ſtrong and clear before, grew weak and confuſed; — now ſhe became as dull of hearing, as before ſhe was quick; — in a word, ſhe grew intirely unacquainted with perſons and things; only in her intervals ſhe would call with a pitiful voice upon her new Doctor *for his cure*.

As her end drew near, the Nurſe was ſent to this *Reſtorer of* HEALTH, and upon telling who ſhe came from, ſhe was introduced by his Brother into a back room; the ſimple woman made a great many curteſies, and called him ſeveral times *Doctor*, which he forbid, but at the ſame time took her by the hand and placed her in an elbow chair by him, asking her after her Miſtreſs's health; — finding by the account that ſhe was very bad, he chuckt the Nurſe under the chin (tho' a young woman of ſeventy.) — Has ſhe made her will ſaid the Doctor? — The Nurſe ſeeming doubtful, the Doctor grew fonder, and in a loving ſtrain told her, *That if ſhe could prevail upon her miſtreſs to make him her heir, ſhe did not know what he would do for them both!*

Unfortunately for the Doctor, the Nurſe was related to the Patient, which he was altogether ignorant of. — She returned home, and carefully adminiſtered the *Drop* and the *Powders* ſent by the Doctor, but intirely omitted his pious requeſt, that he might be the better qualified, by her *means*, to be a FATHER OF THE POOR.

Shortly after this interview, the good Gentlewoman, having taken one of the Drops, ſlept 36 hours, and then died.

Had this Scheme, *fatherly* as it was, taken place, five or ſix families would have been in the greateſt diſtreſs, which the old Gentlewoman by her will, as it now ſtands, has comforted; — that is, the widow and the fatherleſs, the poor, the needy and oppreſſed in her own family.

P. S. You may expect ſoon to have a particular account of the conſcientiouſneſs of the Doctor's demands.

Gentlemen,

IF you apprehend the following hint will be of ſervice to the Public, pleaſe to inſert it in your next Journal.

Middle Temple. B. A.

Towards the latter end of the Act of Parliament for the better regulation of Attornies and Sollicitors, made in the ſecond year of his preſent majeſty, proviſion is made againſt injuſtice being done to a client by his attorney, on account of any extravagant bill of coſts, the latter may pretend to have on the former; the attorney, on a taxation of his bill, being obliged to be at all the expence of it, if a 6th part is taken off, by which means juſtice is done to both Attorney and Client, and the Attorney prevented being too exorbitant in his demands.

But there ſeems to be a grievance, which at preſent is remedileſs, and that is, When one man ſues another, and the defendant is ready to pay debt and charges, it often coſts the defendant as much to tax this bill, as is taken off by the taxation, the defendant being in this caſe always at the charge of taxing (tho' a fourth or half part of the bill ſhould be diſallowed) by which means the defendant is diſcouraged from doing himſelf right, and the Attorney (if not a man of character) encouraged to make out what bill he pleaſes; which if the defendant don't immediately pay, he proceeds, and ſo runs him to more charge, before he can poſſibly have the affair ended.

Therefore you ſee the difference 'twixt taxing a bill of coſts according to the Act, which is called *taxing a bill 'twixt Attorney and Client*, and that of taxing a bill in the laſt caſe, which is called *taxing a bill 'twixt party and party*: I now leave you to judge, whether it is not to be wiſhed, that in the laſt caſe the ſame proviſion was made, as in the firſt, by the above Act of Parliament.

PUNCH's *Dying Speech.*

1.

NOW let the fatal Paſſing bell
Give notice, with its dreadful knell;
That all my friends advance.
And ſtrait the melancholy ſhore
Diſpatches three of ev'ry four,
'Twixt Berwick and Penſance.

2.

See, where the mournful tribe appears!
With eyes brim-full of grateful tears,
And countenances ſad!
It grieves me, friends, to cauſe this ſhow
Of diſmal, univerſal woe,
Who us'd to make you glad.

3.

But ſince my doom is fix'd; in vain
You ſadly weep, or I complain;
We need no further pry:
Nor would my eaſy yielding breath
E'er ſtruggle with the gripe of death,
But that I guiltleſs dye.

4.

Too oft you've ſeen a hapleſs youth,
Long ſoſter'd in the road of truth,
Whoſe actions knew no blame,
(Whom luckleſs chance unthinking drew
To mingle with a murd'ring crew)
At Tyburn ſuffer ſhame.

5.

So fiery GIN has done the deed,
And her accomplice ANISEED,
For which I ſuffer now.
If they uſurp my honeſt name,
And ſtrip and kill, am I to blame?
Muſt I be guilty too?

6.

'Tis true, that for my own repoſe,
I long near them my lodging choſe,
Nay in one houſe have dwelt.
But they're no more, compar'd with me,
For credit, or for company,
Than ſprat is to a ſmelt.

7.

Not long ago, againſt my will,
The mighty Puff of Ludgate-hill
Wou'd lopp my dignity.
He ſaid, 'Twou'd make be better known:
But I ſuſpect he brought me down,
T' aſſociate them with me.

8.

Indeed I rais'd him to renown,
His name I buzz'd about the Town:
But he diſgraced me.
And let me tell you, by my faith,
I fear 'twas thus I've got my death,
Tho' he got liberty.

9.

But yet a kind of Scheme he draws,
That he can dabble with the laws,
And I be not quite loſt;
That here on earth he'll keep me ſtill:
But I ſo little truſt his skill,
I fear he means my Ghoſt.

10.

Then ſince my life is at an end,
And I no longer can defend
My ſelf, (my friends) nor you;
To jolly BACCHUS turn your eyes;
His pow'rful aid will eaſe your ſighs,
And ſparkling joys renew.

11.

For if that mighty Puff be true,
His Miniſters Malt Spirits brew,
To make right good old Port.
Then Spirits drink in Wine's diſguiſe;
While thoſe go down, and Duties riſe,
You'll Countrey pleaſe and Court.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

DP. *Daily Poſt.* | LP. *London Daily Poſt.*
DJ. *Daily Journal.* | G. *Daily Gazetteer.*
DA. *Daily Advertiſer.* | LE. *London Evening Poſt.*

Hyp-Oratorial Advertiſements and Puffs in July.
Hyp-Advertiſements 4: Oratorial ditto 12: in all 16.
——— Hyp-Puffs 4: Oratorial ditto 9: in all 13.——
Increaſed in the Advertiſements 2: decreaſed in the Puffs 2.

THURSDAY, *Oct.* 7. On monday the hon. Charles Selwyn, Eſq; was ſworn in Mayor of Glouceſter. *DP. DA. LP. G.*

Yeſterday Sir John Gonſon opened the quarter ſeſſions of the peace for Weſtminſter with a very learned and ingenious Charge, &c. *DJ.* —— A learned and excellent Charge. *DA. G.* —— Excellent and learned, *LP.* —— On ſaturday evening the Seſſions ended, when the Grand Jury return'd their thanks to Sir John, for his very learned, loyal, and ſeaſonable Charge, &c. *DA. Oct.* 12.

Yeſterday ſeveral workmen were employed at Fleet-ditch to pull down the middle pillar, in order to build a watch-houſe between the 2 large pillars: the ſame is to be built of timber. *DJ.* —— The front will be built with Portland ſtone, in a grand taſte. *DA.*

A certain perſon near S. James's market continues ſelling drams, being colour'd with red, having a large label tied to the bottle, on which is wrote, *Take 2 or 3 ſpoonfuls of this 4 or 5 times a day, or as often as the fit takes you.* DA.

They write from Steath's near Whitby in Yorkſhire, that on the 18th of laſt month a large Grampus was drove aſhore there; the head is 5 yards long, the fins 4, the tail 3, and the body 17. *DA. LP.*

Yeſterday Joſeph Cady, convicted of falſely ſwearing debts to ſeveral perſons to the amount of 2400 l. ſtood in the pillory the firſt time at the Royal Exchange, an

met with a ſmart diſcipline, &c. *DP. DJ.* —— John Cuddy. *DA.*

Married, on ſaturday, Mr. Woorg, to Miſs Jenny Reiu of Greenwich, an agreeable young Lady, with 3000 l. *DJ.* — On monday at Lincoln, the right hon. the Lord Vere Bertie, to Miſs Caſey, a very agreeable young Lady, with upwards of 70,000 l. fortune. *DJ. DA.* —— On tueſday, Sir Chriſtoph. Hales, Bar. to Miſs Harriſon, daughter of the Lady Wray, by her firſt husband. *DA.*

Died yeſterday ſuddenly in High-Holborn, the rev. Mr. Cha. Tonbrook; he had a living in the county of Stafford. *DJ.*—The rev. Mr. Butler, rector of S. Anne's Alderſgate. *DP.* —— Of the united pariſhes of S. Anne and S. John Zachary. *DA.* —— Lecturer of S. Clement's Eaſtcheap, miniſter of Dagenham in Eſſex, and prebendary of S. Paul's, aged 65. *LP.*

On thurſday night, a young Lady, daughter to Mr. Dobs, an eminent brewer at Kenſington, going home in a coach, the door flew open and ſhe fell out, broke her neck, and died on the ſpot. —— On monday Mr. Grey, an eminent wine-merchant, going to embark on board a ſhip at Graveſend, fell from the ſide and was drown'd. *DA.* —— Yeſterday Mrs. Webber dropp'd down dead of an apoplectic fit, at her houſe in Tufton-ſtreet, Weſtminſter. *LP.* —— The ſtory of Mr. Dobbs's daughter is all a miſtake; no ſuch perſon lives there. *LP. Oct.* 9.

Laſt week, a woman at Stratford upon Avon, being intoxicated with liquor, hang'd herſelf, but was cut down before quite dead. Another cut her throat, and died; and about 5 weeks ago, 3 women were drowned in a marl-pit. *G.* —— On ſunday, Mrs. Kelby, a gardener's wife near Fullham, was found drowned in a pond near their houſe. *DJ.* —— On tueſday Mr. Cole, a butcher in Snow's-fields, who had been for ſome time diſorder'd in his ſenſes, was found hanging in a new houſe near finiſh'd in that neighbourhood. *DP.* —— A Penſioner of Chelſea-college hang'd himſelf on the ſtump of a tree near Bloody Bridge. *DJ. DA.*

FRIDAY, *Oct.* 8. On wedneſday the hon. Edw. Finch, Eſq; his Majeſty's Embaſſador to the Court of Sweden, embark'd on board the Mary Yatcht at Graveſend (with the Duke and Dutcheſs of Richmond) for Holland, &c. *DP.*

A few days ago the right rev. the Lord Biſhop of Chicheſter collated the rev. Tho. Ball, M. A. to the archdeaconry of Chicheſter. *DP. DA. G.*

Yeſterday there was a ſale at the Cuſtom-houſe for Tea, ſeiz'd by his Majeſty's officers, which ſold, one lot with another, at about 7 s. per pound. *DP.* —— On wedneſday. *DJ.* —— An amazing price! within a groat of the Company's Tea. *DP.* —— *Not at all* amazing, *ſince* ſhe-ſervants *will now ſcarce breakfaſt upon any thing elſe.*

Laſt week the rev. Mr. Talbot was preſented to the rectory of Stone in Kent, one of the beſt livings in the gift of the Biſhop of Rocheſter, but ſeiz'd as an option by his grace the Archbiſhop of Canterbury, and given to this Gentleman, who is brother-in-law to *that great and good Churchman Dr. Lynch, ſon-in-law to the Archbiſhop of Canterbury, Dean of Canterbury, Maſter of S. Croſs, Treaſurer of Salisbury, cum multis aliis. DP.* —— *Rector of Biſhops bourn and Ickham in Kent, maſter of two Hoſpitals in Canterbury, with the Sine cure of Cray in Kent.* LP. —— *Some think it ſhould be read*, the Sinecure of Bray; *and that it is not the only one which this* Great Church-man *holds.*

Edw. Baxter of Fulham, Eſq; is appointed one of the Commiſſioners of Chelſea-college, in the room of Sir Adolphus Oughton, Bart. deceas'd. *DA. G.*

A fine ſtreet is building from Cavendiſh-ſquare to S. Mary le Bon, and ground is taken for building a row of houſes from Knightsbridge to Kenſington Gore. *DA.*

A few mornings ago, ſeveral lamps in this City, which ought to burn from ſun-ſetting to ſun-riſing, were out by 2 o' clock in the morning. *LP.*

Died laſt week the rev. Mr. Mann, rector of Bodian in Suſſex. *G.* —— Munn. *DP.* —— *The* LP. *Sept.* 21. *mentioned the death of this Clergyman, as having happen'd* a few days ſince. *He had then been dead* above 3 weeks. —— The 3d inſt. at his brother's, next to Eccleſhall in Staffordſhire, the rev. Dr. Hornbey, an eminent preacher, and rector of Leach Offley. *DJ.*

SATURDAY, *Oct.* 9. On ſaturday Capt. Tim. Brett, Capt. Hen. Hunt, and Capt. Rich. Harle, were elected elder brothers of the Trinity-houſe at Deptford Strond. *DJ.*

On thurſday James Haillott, Eſqs was appointed a Captain of an independent company in America. *DJ.*

The Lord Biſhop of London has been pleaſed to preſent the rev. Mr. Allen, his chaplain, to the living of S. Anne's within Alderſgate, worth about 170 l. per ann. *DJ.* —— And to collate the rev. Mr. Leonard Twells, to a Prebendary in the cathedral church of S. Pauls, void by the death of the rev. Mr. Hawkins. *LP.* —— My Brother *means* to a Prebend.

Laſt thurſday Mr. Groveſtein, gentleman of the bed-chamber to the Prince of Orange, with his new married lady, embark'd at Harwich for Holland. *DA.*

On monday the rev. Dr. Biſcoe began the Boyle's lecture ſermons at Bow-church in Cheapſide. *LP.*

Yeſterday the rev. Mr Vaughan, of Camberwell, was choſen lecturer of S. Martin Orgars and S. Clement Eaſtcheap. *LP.*

A treaty of marriage is on foot, and ſpeedily will be conſummated, between Sir James Daſhwood, Bar. and Miſs Spencer, a fortune of 60,000 l. *G.*

Married, laſt week. Mr. Geo. Carpenter, to Miſs Foley, a young Lady of great merit and fortune. *DP.*

Died, yeſterday at Clapham, George Hawkins, Eſqs lately married to Miſs Lancaſter of Tooting, a fortune of 5000 l. *DP.*

Yeſterday a bullock ran into the ſhop of Mr. Cotterell, a Chiraman, at Stocks-market, and broke China and glaſs to a conſiderable value. *DA.* —— *To the* China-man, *not to the* true Engliſh man.

MONDAY, *Oct.* 11. The Parliament which ſtands prorogued to thurſday the 14th inſt. is further prorogued to the latter end of November. *DA.*

Laſt week a Warrant paſſed the proper offices, appointing Mr. John Ellys, of Great Queen-ſtreet, principal painter to his royal highneſs the Prince. *DA.*

On ſaturday night the wind being very high, drove ſeveral ſhips in the river from their anchors, but we do not hear of any damage. *DA.* —— It did great damage, eſpecially at Shad-Thames; where the chain was broke, and 8 ſhips ſuffer'd much, &c. *DJ.*

Died a few days ago, at his ſeat, the Lady of Sir Walter Calverley of Calverley in Yorkſhire, Bar. *DA.*—*Sept.* 16. *LP.* —— On friday, at Wandſworth, Geo. Liſle, Eſq; formerly an eminent Weſt-India merchant, worth 30,000l. *DP.* —— The latter end of laſt week, at Canbury-houſe, Iſlington, Mr. Barrow, late an apothecary in Newgate-market, reputed worth upwards of 20,000 l. *LP.* —— Yeſterday, in Pater-noſter row, Mrs. Sandwell, aged 90, relict of Mr. Joſ. Sandwell, tobacconiſt, and ſiſter to the late Mr. John Dryden. *LP.* —— In Shoe-lane, Mr. Churchman, a wealthy carpenter. *LP.* —— City-carpenter. *DA.*

On tueſday died Mr. Jones, a floriſt near the turnpike in Kent-ſtreet, whoſe death was occaſion'd by the following unhappy accident: he had been ſeveral times robb'd of valuable flower roots, and to diſcover the thief, had provided a gun with ſome wires at the trigger, which when touch'd would go off, and the thieves in breaking in could not avoid touching the wires; but having loaded the gun, he himſelf went into the garden for a great coat, and touching the wires the gun went off, and the balls ſhatter'd the bones of his right ſhoulder to pieces. *DP.*

TUESDAY, *Oct.* 12. Yeſterday being the anniverſary of his Majeſty's coronation, it was obſerved as uſual, &c. *DP. DJ. DA.* —— It was reported at Court, that the marriage on foot between her royal highneſs the Princeſs Amelia, and his ſerene highneſs the Duke of Holſtein was far advanced. *DJ.*

The ſame day Sir Rob. Walpole gave a moſt elegant entertainment to ſeveral perſons of diſtinction, at his houſe at Chelſea. *DJ.*

Mr. Trinworth, at Charing-croſs, is appointed ſadler to the king, in the room of Mr. Holiday. *DA.*

The Earl and Counteſs of Eſſex landed at Dover laſt ſaturday from Paris. *LP.*

Mr. Steph. Monteage, one of the clerks in the receiver General's office in Exciſe, is appointed one of the tellers, in the room of Mr. Ric. Hill. *LP.*

Some workmen having been employ'd in raiſing the roof over the great room at the Bowling-green houſe on Putney-heath, yeſterday one of the ſhores ſlipt, which cauſed the others to give way, whereby the floor fell down upon 16 men and a boy; the former providentially receiv'd no hurt, but the boy was very much bruiſed. *DP.*

Sittings appointed in London and Middleſex in Michaelmas Term before the right hon. the Lord Harwicke, Lord Chief Juſtice of the Court of King's-bench, viz.

London.		Middleſex.	
Thurſday,	28 October.	Wedneſday,	3 Nov.
Monday,	8 Nov.	Monday,	14
Thurſday,	18	Monday,	22
Saturday,	27	Friday,	26
After Term.		After Term.	
Wedneſday,	1 Decemb.	Tueſday,	30 Nov. *DA.*

On friday laſt an unhappy accident happen'd at a farm-houſe belonging to Mr. Savage, at Brookly in Kent, a ſon of whom, drawing a bucket of water out of a well thirty feet deep, and having about 5 feet water, the cord of the bucket broke, and he going down to get the bucket up, before he had got half way dropt to the bottom; upon which a ſervant was let down to his aſſiſtance, but he alſo dropt down, and they were both ſuffocated; a third man attempted to go down, and when he had got half way he cry'd out, and was immediately drawn up, and lay for dead ſome time, but in a few hours recover'd. This cataſtrophe was occaſion'd by a great damp in the well, and ſeveral pans of burning coals being let down to expel it, it put them out in a moment, till, by often repeating, it was overcome, and a man went down and got the two bodies up. *DA.*

The following is the Inſcription on the Tomb-ſtone of the right reverend Dr. TANNER, *late Biſhop of St.* Aſaph, *at* Chriſt Church, Oxford.

In Obitum Viri admodum Reverendi,
THOMÆ Epiſcopi ASAPHENSIS.

Vicitne tandem Morbus & Senium grave,
TANNERE, Te Patrum Decus?
Fregitque nullis territum Laboribus
Suprema ſors Mortalium?
Luſtrare ſacra ſuetus olim Rudera
Fanorum & antiquas Domos,
Nunc Ipſe Veterum pulveri admiſtus Cinis
Sub Æde veneranda jaces,
Quæ tot capaci Præſules doctos Sinu
Ipſamque * *Fridſwidam* tenet.
At Tu Sepulchri non eges honoribus,
Noſtrive Laude Carminis,
Quem peritum Antiquitatis ultimæ
Ventura dicent Sæcula;
Nomenque Pario Scripta ſervabunt tua
Perenniora Marmore.

* Fridſwida, *a Saxon Queen, Foundreſs of part of the College, and buried in the Cathedral there.* LP. —— *Some* Oxonian Critics, *inſtead of* Morbus, *read* Wardus: *Others take both words to ſignifie the ſame thing.*

Laſt ſunday between ſeven and eight in the evening, one Mr. Thomas Lane, a farrier, of Hampſtead, coming home from the Spaniard's upon the Heath, near the houſe call'd Mother Huff's, three men in mean apparel jump'd out of the buſhes, and inſtantly laid hold of him, robb'd him of 45 s. and afterwards ſtript him naked, tied him neck and heels, and made him faſt to a tree, in which condition he lay above an hour, till a woman coming by, he cry'd out, and ſhe releas'd him; the villains bound him ſo hard about the wriſts and legs, that the blood ſtarted in ſeveral places. *DA.*

WEDNESDAY, *Oct.* 13. It is now currently reported, that his Majeſty will not return to Great Britain, till after his Birth-day. *LP.*

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to conſtitute and appoint Geo. Bennet, Eſq; to be Cornet and Major to the 3d troop of horſe-guards. —— Sam. Saville, Eſq; to be Guidon and Major, Edw. Wills, Eſq; Exempt and Captain, and Will. Hollingworth, Gent. to be Brigadier and Lieutenant. *DP. DJ. DA.*

Admiral Cavendiſh, hath lately reſigned his place of Serjeant Porter to his Majeſty, in favour of Walter Harris, Eſq; his ſecretary. *DP. DJ. DA.*

The Lord Biſhop of Chicheſter collated lately the rev. Mr. John Wynn, his Lordſhip's chaplain, to the prebendary [prebend] of Heathfield in Suſſex, vacant by the promotion of Dr. Haley to that Deanry. *DP. DJ. LP. DA.*

The Royal Eſcape, ſo called from her carrying King Charles II. to France, after the Defeat of his forces by the rebels at Worceſter, is now rebuilt, and to be launched at Deptford, &c. *DP.* — My Brother Osborne *would have ſcorn'd to call ſuch worthy Patriots* Rebels.

This day the ſeſſions begins at the Old Baily. There are not above 50 criminals. *DP.* —— There are about 60. *LP. G.*

On ſaturday night, one Anne Stewart was committed to the county gaol of Surry, for ſtealing from Will. Haugh 4 guineas, &c. at her lodgings in the Mint. Within theſe 3 years, ſhe has been committed priſoner to Bridewell in Southwark 47 times for ſtreet-walking. *DP.*

Died yeſterday at his lodgings at Charing croſs, Geo. Garret of Somerſetſhire, Eſq; *DJ.*

We hear from Rainham in Eſſex, that a few days ago Mr. Will. Jenkins and his Wife, who lodg'd at the Angel for 2 or 3 days, (their place of abode being in Kent-ſtreet Southwark) having eat ſome muſhrooms, went to bed ſeemingly in good health; but the next morning Mrs. Jenkins was found dead by her husband's ſide, and he ſo dangerouſly ill, that he ſurvived but 4 hours; a dog which had lick'd the diſh after they had ſupp'd, was found dead in an out-houſe. *DP.*

As the death of Cap. Innis, who was found wounded in the Old Baily, has occaſioned various diſcourſes, we think proper, for the ſatisfaction of the publick, to publiſh the following account, which we have from very good hands, viz. That he came that night about ten o' clock from Charing-croſs, with a linkman, who at the corner of Fleet ditch demanded a ſhilling for coming with him. Mr. Innis told him he would not pay him till he went

quite home with him, which he refus'd to do; upon this two fellows who are suppos'd of his gang, cry'd out D—n him, take his cane if he don't pay you; which he instantly snatch'd from the Captain, and ran up Ludgate-hill with it, and immediately put out his link and turn'd into the Old Baily; the Captain followed, and the two fellows after him, who 'tis supposed gave him the blows which occasion'd his death, and then robb'd him. This was observ'd by a young lad who follow'd them a little way, but was oblig'd to return, the Fellows swearing they would knock him down if he came after them. A person who keeps the house, near the door of which he was found, on hearing some noise, came out with a candle, and seeing a gentleman lie in that manner, sent for an officer of St. Sepulchre's parish, to convey him to the watch-house and take proper care of him, which the *Brute* refus'd, saying it was none of his business, and it might bring a *charge on the parish*. By this time several people were gathered about him, and some of them, at the desire and with the assistance of one Mr. Elmes in Fleet-street, conveyed him to the watch-house, where for a considerable time they refus'd him entrance, saying he ought to have been carryed to the workhouse; but at last were prevailed on to admit him. An apothecary was then sent for, and at the desire of a silver-smith near Cripplegate church, was carry'd to the Bell inn in Smithfield, he promising to pay any charge which should necessarily be applied for the saving of his life, tho' he had never seen him before; but he died there next night. 'Tis not doubted but those of the Ward, who have the least sense of the injuries done to their fellow creatures, will enquire into this inhumanity, and resent it at at a proper time. ——— The blow on his head, which occasioned his death appeared very small; but after he died, the place was opened at the request of his friends, and there was found a great quantity of congeal'd blood under the skin: had he been taken immediate care of, 'tis believ'd he might have been sav'd. ——— Those who perfectly knew him give him this short character; that his learning and good behaviour made him agreeable to his companions; his good nature and humanity the delight of his inferiors, especially those who served under him; and in general, that he was a valuable member of society. ——— We hear the linkman is known, but has made off: he was formerly a thief-taker, and has at different times begg'd about as a decay'd Gentleman. *LP.—These* dark Officers of the night, *instead of preventing robberies and murders, are frequently accessary to both, through their own cowardice, or covetousness of their Principals.*

From the PEGASUS *in Grub-street.*

Gentlemen,

YOU having heretofore recommended several good designs to the publick, and which, through a charitable influence, have had a very good effect; I hope therefore, that you will recommend a consideration of the late unhappy accident at the Theatre at Covent-Garden, and propose it to the Actors there to play one evening for the benefit of the still lingering sufferers. They being persons in low life, are probably in necessitous circumstances; and lying now altogether inactive, cannot procure a support for their families. For tho' it doth not appear to the public, I've been informed, that all or most of them have children, whose bread depends upon their employment. A design of this nature I heartily wish executed; to which end no future assistance shall be wanting, that lies in the power of,

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An Epigrammatical QUESTION.

I've heard, that you suppose that nature,
When first she form'd a human creature,
Made use of earth, air, fire, and water:
Then you, who pore upon the stars,
And know what past these fifty years;
Pray, wer'nt those elements at strife,
When Madam Nature made *your Wife?*

Since our last, we have received a Letter signed R. S. and two Copies of Verses, one intitled a *Dream*, and the other *The Looking-glass*, both which we design to publish.

FOREIGN NEWS.

THURSDAY, *Oct.* 7. The last letters from Barcelona positively say, that there are 20,000 foot and 20,000 horse in the neighbourhood of that city, ready to embark at an hour's warning. *LP.* ——— The author of the Paris a la main says this. *G.*

SATURDAY, *Oct.* 9. They write from Lisbon, that the Court had receiv'd advice of the arrival of Don Emanuel, the King of Portugal's brother, at the Court of Madrid; when he was receiv'd with extraordinary honours. *LP.*—— *This is false.*

MONDAY, *Oct.* 11. Letters from Genoa, by yesterday's French mail, advise, that the Baron de Neuhoff is retir'd in despair beyond the mountains, to avoid the threats of the malecontents, most of whom are reduced to go barefoot, and do not care to wait for the dead mens shoes which the Baron had promis'd them; that they were grown mutinous for want of salt, tho' they seem'd as if they could eat him without any; that the Genoese had seiz'd upon their magazines of provisions; and that Deputies from several of the Rebels had demanded an amnesty. *DA.*

Constantinople, Sept. 16. Two days ago, about 2 in the afternoon, the part of the Horizon over the city was cover'd on a sudden with a thick cloud, which cast a darkness all over the air, as if it hed been mid-night. In the midst of the cloud a very luminous star appeared, of the very colour of blood, and took the form of a comet with a long train. The star remained 35 minutes in the same situation; and about 4 the darkness dispers'd, and left as nasty, thick, stinking fog, which remain'd 'till mid-night. *DP. G.* ——— The cloud seem'd to hang directly over the city, and made it as dark as mid-night, whilst the Horizon on all sides remain'd clear. *DA.* —— Carried a total darkness, as if it had been mid-night. *LP.* ——Tho' this Phenomenon has nothing in it very extraordinary, the inhabitants here are credulous and superstitious. &c. *DP. LP. G.* ——— *Tho' a person may perhaps be* superstitious, *who believes that this* Phenomenon *is* very portentous; *yet he must certainly be* very credulous, *who can believe my* Political Brethren's *assertion, That* it had nothing very extraordinary in it.

The late armaments which had been for several months making in Spain, and by all accounts from thence represented so formidable as to threaten the conquests of nations, ended, as we formerly mention'd, in the dispatching a few transport ships with men and ammunition for Oran. The Spaniards, according to our present Letters, have begun a new armament; troops are in motion from all parts to assemble in Catalonia; vast preparations are making at Barcelona for immediately embarking 4000 foot and 3000 horse; and they write with triumph from Bayonne, that no less than 20,000 foot and 4000 cavalry are come to the neighbourhood of that city to be embark'd likewise, ——— nothing hindering but that the Court has not yet found out an expedition to employ them in, nor taken up one transport ship to receive them on board. *DA.*

TUESDAY, *Oct.* 12. They write from Copenhagen, that, as the woollen manufactures, set up in Denmark, have all the success imaginable, his Danish Majesty has forbid the entry of all foreign woollen manufactures. *DP.*

Paris, Oct. 16. Letters from Caminieck positively say, that the Ottoman army, commanded by the Grand Visir, at some distance from Bender, gained a complete victory over the Russians; that their Cavalry had been entirely defeated, with the loss of all their provisions, and greatest part of their baggage: that their Infantry was closed up, so that the Turks flattered themselves they would be obliged to surrender at discretion. *DJ.*

WEDNESDAY, *Oct.* 13. They write from the Hague, that the maritime powers having withstood all the sollicitations of the court of Spain, join'd to those of the Emperor and France, and refus'd to become guaranties to the present settlement of the kingdoms of Naples and Sicily in favour of Don Carlos, unless some immediate concessions were made them to the advantage of trade, his Catholick Majesty is grown very cold, and has actually remov'd his negociation with Portugal out of their hands into those of the king of France, to which, after much difficulty, his Portuguese Majesty is said to have likewise consented, but on this condition only, that nothing shall be concluded without being first communicated to the court of England and their high mightinesses the State General. *DA.*

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